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EXAMINER:

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METHOD OF SEARCHING FOR MOTION VECTOR, METHOD OF GENERATING FRAME INTERPOLATION

IMAGE AND DISPLAY SYSTEM

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STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

Reference AO (JP 2000-224593) on Form 1449:

This reference shows a motion vector search with area division. This method, however, does not refer to the number of pixels whose absolute difference is below a predetermined threshold. Therefore, this method is not based on object shapes.

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